

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company..... Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Hansford

I, M. C. Head

, born in Lebanon

in the State of Tenn., aged 41 years and 8 months, and by occupation a

Stump Farmer do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 30th day of

July, 1918, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,

unless sooner discharged by proper authority. ~~And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such~~

~~bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law.~~ Without Pay And I do solemnly swear

that will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of

the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the

United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution

of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted

as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I further-

more swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor prom-

ised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my

appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 30th day of July, A. D. 1918

Fill in description below.

I certify that M. C. Head, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me

previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and

will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 41 years

8 months of age. Height 5 feet 8 inches. Complexion Blond Eyes Gray

Hair Light with some gray Born at Lebanon County of Wilson State of Tenn.

Occupation Stump Farmer Married or single Married Previous service None

Residence Hansford, Hansford County, Texas

Remarks:

Captain Co..... Ranger Force.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

OATH OF MEMBERS
RANGER FORCE

Name

M. C. Head

Rank

Company

Ranger Force

Station

Hausford

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THE STATE OF TEXAS



ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

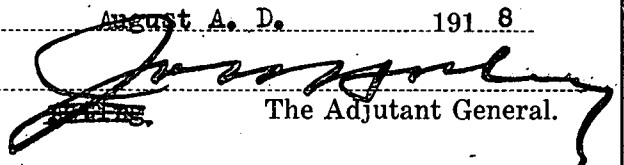
Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer M. C. HEAD
is a PRIVATE in Company _____ Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this
is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 27th Legislature of the State of
Texas, approved March 29th, 1901, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited
as his authority to act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be sur-
rendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and
Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company
Commander.

Name	<u>M. C. HEAD</u>	Rank	<u>Private</u>
Age	<u>41</u>	Where born	<u>Lebanon, Wilson Co.</u>
Height	<u>5 - 6</u>	Occupation	<u>Stock-farmer</u>
Hair	<u>light gray</u>	Enlisted Where	<u>Austin</u>
Eyes	<u>Gray</u>	Enlisted When	<u>30 July, 1918</u>
Complexion	<u>Bland</u>	Enlisted by whom	<u>A. G.</u>
<u>Hansford</u>			

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 8th

day of August A. D. 1918


The Adjutant General.

Attest: _____
Captain Ranger Force
Commanding Co. _____